Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 10 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 11 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Saturday 10 Oct 2020 at 03:01

Confidence: High for a showery, windy weather in the hills on Saturday and Monday with a window of drier, brighter weather and lighter winds on Sunday.

Headline for Saturday 10 Oct 2020: Sunny intervals. Scattered showers, becoming fewer later in the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 10 Oct 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
60%	30%	40%	40%	30%	10%

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Weather: Sunny intervals and further showers. The showers most frequent during the morning then becoming fewer later in the afternoon. The showers will pass by quickly thanks to the strong wind with dry, sunny spells too.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 80%. Occasional cloud cover 600 to 700m, briefly extensive as showers pass by.

Visibility: Good becoming temporarily poor as showers come along.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	34/47 NW	33/46 NW	29/43 NW	29/42 NW	28/40 NW	27/39 NW	26/38 NW
300	16/31 NW	17/32 NW	18/33 NW	18/33 NW	16/30 NW	16/29 NW	14/27 NW
Valley	13/30 NW	15/31 NW	16/33 NW	15/31 NW	13/27 NW	13/27 NW	12/25 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/-1	5/-1	7/1	7/2	6/0	5/-1	5/-1
300	7/3	8/4	10/6	10/6	8/4	7/3	7/3
Valley	8/5	9/6	11/8	11/8	9/6	8/5	8/4
Freezing Level*	1500m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling bitterly cold on the tops due to combination of strong winds, single figure temperatures and passing showers.

Forecast for Sunday 11 Oct 2020

Weather: A mainly dry, bright day across the Mourne Mountains with some sunshine.

Maximum wind: Much lighter winds on the tops, northwest becoming southwest with average speeds of 10 to 15mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90% with just a few patches of cloud about 700 to 800m. Cloud amounts increasing during afternoon but staying above the summits.

Visibility: Very good.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 Celsius rising to 13 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the tops.

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